

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

A B S T R A C T

SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT – Establishment - Gazetted – Violation of Government norms and involvement in corrupt practices by Sri G.Nageswara Rao, Joint Director(SW), East Godavari District – Suspended from service - Departmental Proceedings under Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 – Articles of charges – Issued

SOCIAL WELFARE (SER.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt No. 333

DATED: 28.04.2011

O R D E R:

It is proposed to hold an enquiry against Sri.G.Nageswara Rao, Joint Director(SW)(Under Suspension) in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991.

2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehavior in respect of which the inquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed Statement of articles of charges (Annexure-I). A statement of imputations of misconduct or misbehavior in support of each article of charge is enclosed (Annexure-II). A list of documents by which, and a list of witnesses by whom, the articles of charges are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure - III and IV).

3 Sri.G.Nageswara Rao, Joint Director(SW)(Under Suspension) is directed to submit his written statement of defence, within 10 days from the date of receipt of this order.

4. Sri.G.Nageswara Rao, Joint Director(SW)(Under Suspension), is informed that an inquiry will be held only in respect of those articles of charges as are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each article of charge.

5. Sri.G.Nageswara Rao, Joint Director(SW)(Under Suspension) is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the date specified in para 3 above, or otherwise fails or refuses to comply with the provisions of Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 or the order/directions issued in pursuance of the said rules, the Inquiring Authority may hold the inquiry against him exparte.

6. Attention of Sri.G.Nageswara Rao, Joint Director(SW)(Under Suspension) is invited to Rule 24 of the A.P.Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, under which no Government Servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt in these proceedings it will be presumed that Sri G.Nageswara Rao is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of rule 24 of the A.P. Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

7. The receipt of the order may be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

J.RAYMOND PETER
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri.G.Nageswara Rao, Joint Director(SW)(Under Suspension)
(Through the Commissioner of Social Welfare, AP, Hyderabad)

Copy to:

The Commissioner of Social Welfare, AP, Hyderabad.

(with a request to serve the articles of charges on the Charged Officer and return the served copy to Government for record).

SF/SC.

//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER

(ANNEXURE – I)

STATEMENT OF ARTICLES OF CHARGES AGAINST SRI.G.NAGESWARA RAO, THE THEN JOINT DIRECTOR(SW),EAST GODAVARI DISTRICT, PRESENTLY UNDER SUSPENSION.

That the said Sri.G.Nageswara Rao, JD(SW)(U/s) while discharging his official duties as JD(SW) , East Godavari district at Kakinada since 24/7/2009 till he was placed under suspension, has made certain irregularities.

ARTICLES OF CHARGE – 1

Without verification of allotments of students after selection to the Best Available Schools in the district during the year 2009-10, he allowed the second child of the same family got admission in the Best Available Schools some cases are cited below:

1. Kollu Pradeep, S/o Mani Prasad admitted to Adarsh Public School during the year 2008-09
Kollu Sandeep, S/o Mani Prasad admitted to the Adarsh Public School during the year 2009-10.
2. Erugula Anand, S/o E. Bujji Babu admitted into Vignan Cotton School during the year 2008-09.
3. Erugula Shiny D/o E.Bujji Babu admitted into Vignan Cotton School during the year 2009-10.

Thereby he violated the norms issued in G.O.Ms.No. 101, S.W.(Edn) Dept., dt. 31.5.2008 by admitting Second Child from the same family into BAS.

ARTICLES OF CHARGE – II

He failed to pay the remuneration to the Contract workers in time, though the Commissioner of Social Welfare released the 1st quarter vide his proceedings No. C4/3375/2010, dt. 19-5-2010 and 2nd quarter budget vide Commissioner of Social Welfare Proceedings dt. 14.7.2010. Finally he rebased the amount of both quarters has been released vide proceedings dt.17.9.2010 for payment to Mandal Mahila Samakhya, Kakinada

ARTICLES OF CHARGE-III

He, without verification of drawal of scholarship amount Rs. 4,32,000/- pertains to G.K.R.V.M. College of Education, Pidimgoyyi for the year 2008-09, presented the bill for the same amount for the same student to DTO on 10.2.2010 and the DTO passed the bill amount on 16.2.2010 and credited to Andhra Bank. Thus he failed to prevent the encasement of double claim Rs.4,32,000/- during the financial year 2009-10.

ARTICLES OF CHARGE-IV

That Sri.G.Nageswara Rao, JD(SW) (U/S) has failed to implement the orders of the District Collector (note orders passed on 10.2.2010), East Godavari District for placing Smt. P.S.L.V. Kumari, HWO, SWGH, Tuni under suspension for her lapses in maintenance of Hostel. He also failed to implement the orders of District Collector for placing Sri A. Chandra sekhar rao, HWO, SWBH, Gokavaram under suspension causing for boarders hospitalized due to food poison. Though the proceedings to that effect issued could not be served to the said HWO.

Thus Sri. G. Nageswara Rao, JD(SW) (U/S) by his above mentioned acts has exhibited lack of integrity, Devotion to duty, conduct unbecoming of a Govt. servant and thereby contravened rule 3(1) (2) and (J) of APCS (conduct) Rules 1964.

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(ANNEXURE – II)

STATEMENT OF IMPUTATION OF MISCONDUCT OR MISBEHAVIOUR IN SUPPORT OF THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES AGAINST SRI.G.NAGESWARA RAO, THE THEN JOINT DIRECTOR(SW),EAST GODAVARI DISTRICT, PRESENTLY UNDER SUSPENSION.

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The Govt. have issued guidelines/ norms for operation of Best Available Scheme vide G.O.Ms.No. 101, SW(Edu.) Dept., dt. 31.5.2008. As per the said guidelines, only one child from one family shall be eligible for admission. That Sri G. Nageswara Rao, JD(SW) while discharging his official duties since 24.7.2009, without verification of the list of allotment of students after selection in the year 2009-10 to the best available schools in the District has allowed the second Child of the same family got admissions in the best available schools. Hence he violated the norms issued in the said Govt. order.

2. He has also failed to pay remuneration to the Contract Workers promptly though the Commissioner of Social Welfare released the first and second Quarters budget to the effect vide his proceedings dated: 19.5.2010 and 14.7.2010.

3. He, without verification of previous year claim for drawal of scholarship amount pertains to G.K.R.V.M. College of Education, Pidimgoyyi, has presented the bill for the same amount i.e., 4,32,000/- for same students to the DTO on 10.2.2010 and the same was passed by the DTO on 16.2.2010 and credited to Andhra Bank. As such, he failed to prevent the encashment of double claim of Rs. 4,32,000/-

4. .Sri. G.Nageswara Rao, Joint Director(SW) presently under suspension, while working as Joint Director(SW), East Godavari has failed to implement the District Collector's order for placing Smt.P.S.L.V.Kumari, Hostel Welfare Officer, Tuni and A.Ch.Sekhar Rao, Hostel Welfare Officer, Gokavaram under suspension.

5. It shows the gross negligence and dereliction of duties in discharging his official work on the pat of Sri.G.Nageswar Rao, Joint Director(SW) (U/s)

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(ANNEXURE – III)

LIST OF DOCUMENTS BY WHICH THE ARTICLES OF CHARGE FRAMED AGAINST SRI.G.NAGESWARA RAO, THE THEN JOINT DIRECTOR(SW),EAST GODAVARI DISTRICT, PRESENTLY UNDER SUSPENSION.

- 1) JD(SW), East Godavari, file No. A3/1142/2009
- 2) JD(SW), East Godavari, file.No. A3/1028/2009
- 3) JD(SW), East Godavari, file.No. B1/635/2010
- 4) JD(SW), East Godavari, file.No. B3/527/2010
- 5) JD(SW), East Godavari, file.No. B1/285/2010

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(ANNEXURE –IV)

**LIST OF WITNESS BY WHOM THE ARTICLES OF CHARGES FRAMED
SRI.G.NAGESWARA RAO, THE THEN JOINT DIRECTOR(SW),EAST GODAVARI
DISTRICT, PRESENTLY UNDER SUSPENSION ARE TO BE SUSTAINING.**

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